## HOUSE BILL 1271 By McDonald

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-217, relative to certain commercial vessels.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-217, is amended by adding the language "any commercial vessel or" before the language "any vessel subject to registration" wherever it appears.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-217(b), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

(3) "Commercial vessel" means any vessel used to carry passengers for hire in return for monetary or other consideration or any vessel used to transport, or to assist in the transportation of, goods or services.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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